



GERMAN LANGUAGE TRIPS

The perfect way to practise
language and build confidence
in real life situations





Language learning in Germany

There is no better way to see that penny drop moment than when a student interacts with a native speaker for the very first time. The pride and excitement they feel from this can really make the difference in their journey as a German speaker.

WST's language trips are all flexible to suit your requirements so our experts will work with you to tailor-make your language trip to consider a whole range of needs such as:

- ✓ Age of your students
- ✓ Level of ability
- ✓ Study objectives – do you want to focus on listening, reading, speaking or writing
- ✓ Linking to the changing curriculum
- ✓ How far you would like to travel
- ✓ Budget
- ✓ Cultural visits
- ✓ Cross curricular learning objectives
- ✓ Including a fun element
- ✓ Reward, enrichment & bonding benefits

Find out more about our most popular language trips to Germany:

Rhineland
Berlin
Munich
German Christmas Markets



Rhineland

The Rhine and Moselle are amongst the most popular destinations in Germany. With breath-taking scenery and traditional safe locations it offers an ideal environment for GCSE and A-Level student's to gain confidence and improve language skills.

The Rhineland region, with its rich history and culture, provides an immersive environment for language learning. Exploring the region allows students to surround themselves in German culture, customs, and traditions, enhancing their understanding of the country and its people.

Why take a German language trip to Rhineland?

- ✓ Boost students confidence with a tailored language workshop
- ✓ Your students can spend free time in the local towns and villages where they can safely practise their vocabulary
- ✓ You can be based in a quieter tourist location but be close to the city of Cologne for a contrasting experience
- ✓ Take a spectacular cruise on Rhine taking in all the sights of the area

Why choose WST for your language trip?

"In summary it was another successful trip made easier in no small way by the outstanding attention to detail and organisation of yourself and WST. Seriously I cannot emphasise enough the high regard I have for yourself and the tour company."

Boldon School



Most popular attractions in Rhineland

- Full day in Cologne including the Cathedral, chocolate factory and sports & Olympic museum
- Visit to Koblenz to include chairlift, shopping & sightseeing
- The traditional German towns of Rüdesheim, Cochem and Boppard

Phantasialand

Take them to the No 1 theme park in Germany for thrilling roller coasters, shows and ghostly ride that is the longest theme based underground ride in Europe!



Berlin

A visit to Berlin is perfect for GCSE and A-Level German Language students to help improve their listening and language skills giving them the practice they need in relaxed real-life situations. Classes can first take part in German language workshops to prep their linguistic capabilities for real-life scenarios, such as visiting and ordering food at the famous Berlin Christmas Markets, and then exploring the famous Berlin landmarks.

The vibrant and ever changing city of Berlin is one of the most popular destinations for school trips. From visiting the Brandenburg Gate to Eastside Gallery, the Olympic Stadium, Alexanderplatz to Kreuzberg your German language class will have plenty of exciting and educational opportunities to boost their knowledge of not only the German language but the German capital as well.

Why take a German language trip to Berlin?

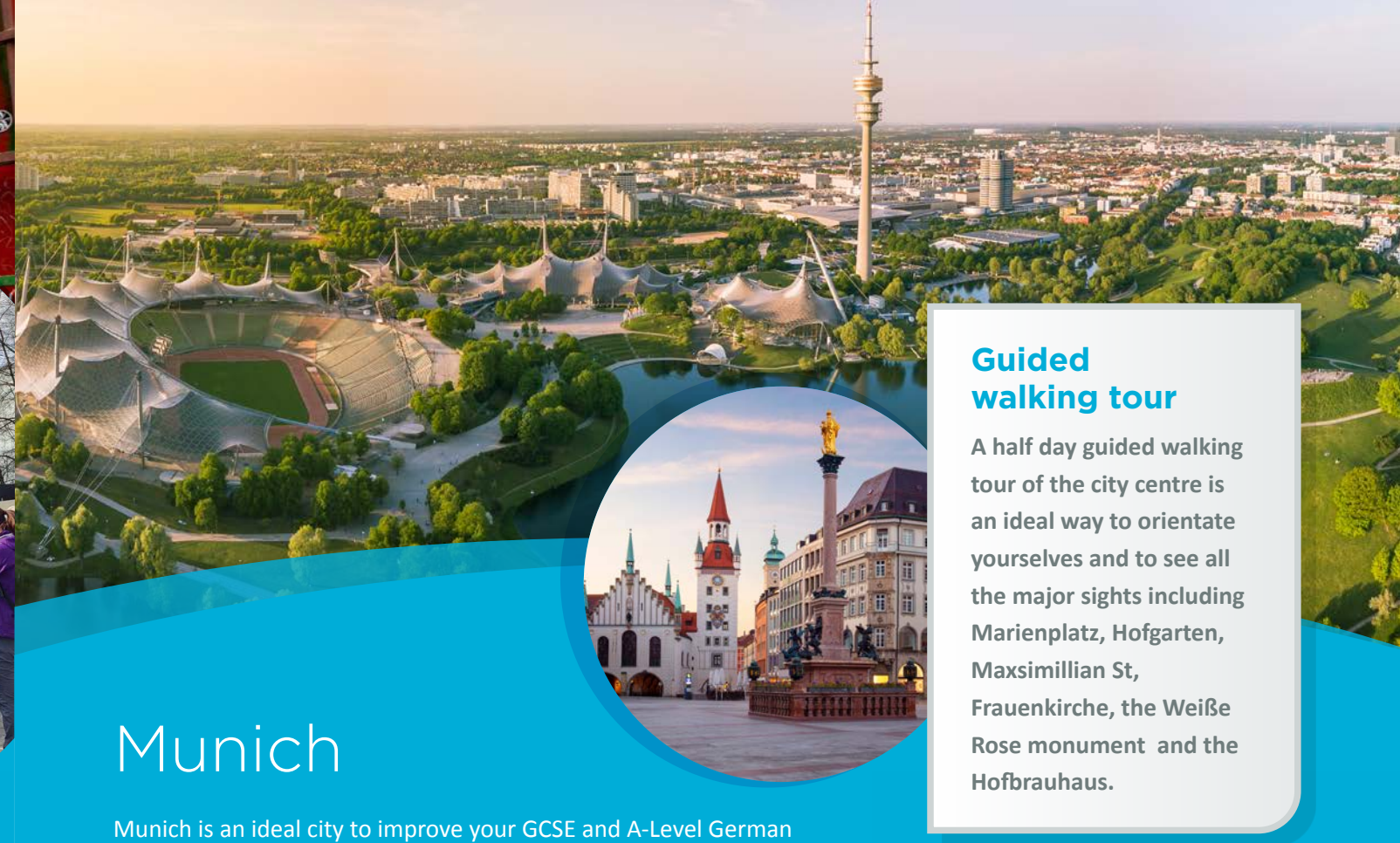
- ✓ Take on interactive tasks and challenges on an E3 trail
- ✓ Boost students confidence with a tailored language workshop
- ✓ Free time for language practise & shopping on the world famous Ku'damm
- ✓ Discover more about the unique life of a once divided city through a range of DDR museums, all in German
- ✓ It is impossible to visit Berlin without learning more about the Nazi period, it will give all your students a real moment of reflection

Popular attractions in Berlin

- The Reichstag
- DDR Museum
- TV Tower
- Holocaust Memorial
- Guided walking tour – the best way to see all the major sites

Did you know?

We have guaranteed availability at central accommodation in Berlin for key school travel dates throughout the year. This means that we don't need to spend time searching for that all important accommodation and you can get the ball rolling to launch your trip earlier. Ask us for more details.



Munich

Munich is an ideal city to improve your GCSE and A-Level German language student's language skills. Compact enough to get around all the major sights in a short amount of time. You'll see a little more of traditional German culture in Munich combined with all the fun of a busy tourist destination.

Why take a German language trip to Munich?

- ✓ Take on interactive tasks and challenges on an E3 trail
- ✓ Boost students confidence with a tailored language workshop
- ✓ The bustling Viktualienmarkt offers great opportunities to practise language skills
- ✓ A guided tour will show them major historical sites to tell the story of tumultuous times in the 20th Century
- ✓ You can show them great examples of German business & technology with guided tours at modern museums

Why choose WST for your language trip?

"This was my first trip and I could not have done it without Helen's advice and help. Fantastic trip! Appropriate and engaging activities which were relevant to our GCSEs and students. A smooth, enjoyable and engaging trip which is one to remember for our students and staff alike."

Barnsley Academy

Guided walking tour

A half day guided walking tour of the city centre is an ideal way to orientate yourselves and to see all the major sights including Marienplatz, Hofgarten, Maximilian St, Frauenkirche, the Weiße Rose monument and the Hofbrauhaus.

Popular attractions in Munich

- Allianz Arena
- BMW Museum
- Deutsches Museum
- Bavaria Filmstadt
- Dachau





German Christmas Markets

For an unforgettable language, there's no better destination than the enchanting Christmas markets of Germany. Visiting a German Christmas market immerses students in the heart of German holiday traditions. The magical atmosphere at a German Christmas market is the perfect setting to encourage your young linguists to test their vocabulary in a relaxed environment.

Shopping, food, Christmas and travel - the perfect reward for all their hard work in the classroom!

Why take a German language trip the Christmas Markets?

- ✓ The perfect festive reward trip for language students or year group
- ✓ Iconic traditional Christmas Markets rich in heritage
- ✓ The best way to build confidence when speaking the language
- ✓ Memorable food and drink tasting opportunities
- ✓ Free Christmas quiz to encourage interaction and language practice around the markets

Why choose WST for your language trip?

"10/10 service from start to finish. Could not have been on a better trip. The organisation of activities, travel, the meals/restaurants, the hotel were all superb. After covid and the nerves surrounding taking 40 pupils away I can honestly say WST has put together a fantastic service."

Mintlaw Academy



Cologne

The Cologne Christmas markets are iconic! Its not just the hundreds of stalls, but the carousels, skating rink, mini train, ferris wheel and much more that will take your students into a festival wonderland for a few days.

Christmas Highlights in Cologne

The Alter Markt - Specialising in carousel rides, puppet shows and toy stalls

The Neumarkt - Cologne's oldest market & a great market for souvenir shopping

The Christmas Express - hop on the mini train to see all the highlights of the markets

Chocolate Museum - take time out to warm up with a hot chocolate and a chocolate making demonstration.

Why choose WST for your language trip?

"We have worked with WST – in particular carole Burrows for years and we have always had the best experience! She is so helpful with any questions and extremely efficient with her work!"

Highworth Grammar School,
Christmas trip to Cologne



Guaranteed availability

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Berlin

Berlin is the capital of Christmas Markets. With around 80 magical markets to choose from including students will be amazed by the all the sparkling festive charm this wonderful city has to offer.

Christmas Highlights in Berlin

Alexanderplatz - the famous centrepiece of the market is Europe's largest Christmas pyramid with more than 5,000 lights that add a festive glow to the seasonal bustle.

Berliner Weihnachtszeit - a wide range of traditional arts, craft & foods, plus an ice rink & Christmas train.

Potzdamer Platz - enjoy a toboggan run, skating rink and try curling at this winter wonderland.

Spandau Old Town - Berlin's largest Christmas market with over 400 stalls and entertainment including a medieval procession.



EDUCATING • EXPLORING • EXCELLING

WHY CHOOSE WST?

- Guaranteed exceptional customer service from an experienced team who will help plan every detail of your trip and support you every step of the way
- 6 x winner of Best School Tour Operator
- Customer Service Excellence accreditation

EXPERT KNOWLEDGE

- A team with expert knowledge of your subject and the best visits for your chosen destination
- Each trip will be carefully planned, tailored to your curriculum, learning objectives and your students' needs

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